

September 6, 2009

The Life of Robert Matheny

- Graveside services for Robert Matheny, 89, of Spearfish will be 11 a.m., Monday, September 7 at Union Cemetery in Groton. The Rev. Nancy Manning will officiate.
- Robert W. Matheny died September 1, 2009, at Rapid City Regional Hospital.
- He was born at Redfield SD on July 30, 1920, to Bert and Maude (Ayars) Matheny. He was inducted into the US Army in 1942 and served with the 12th Armored Division in the European Theatre until his honorable discharge in 1946. On Friday, August 13, 1943 he married Ann Marie Schuller. He completed his education at South Dakota State College after his military service. Over the years he worked for the US Soil Conservation Service, South Dakota Department of Transportation, US Fish and Wildlife Services and private companies as a real estate appraiser.
- He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Ann Marie, of 65 years and is survived by his daughter, Ann L Matheny of Spearfish, nephew, Roger (Shirley) Schuller of Claremont, niece, Linda (Blair) Tremere of Golden Valley, MN and grand-nephew, Matthew (Audrey) Schuller of Sioux Falls.
- Memorial gifts may be directed to the High Plains Western Heritage Center in Spearfish or the Spearfish United Methodist Church.

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